

# Mother of Sorrows Parish

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Fourth Sunday of Lent • March 27, 2022

**Registration:** You are welcome to register in the parish after any Mass or by appointment.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Please contact the Parish Office for arrangements.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** (Confession) Between 4:00 and 4:30 p.m. on Saturday & after any Mass or by appointment.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months in advance of the wedding date.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** If you are unable to attend Mass due to illness or hospitalization, please notify the Parish Office.

**Retrouvaille** ([www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com)) For marriages needing help, call Al and Diane at 330-665-3506

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**Pro-Life Office** ([www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/prolife](http://www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/prolife))  
Call Peggy Gerovac at 216-334-2965

**World Wide Marriage Encounter** ([www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org))  
Call 1-800-795-LOVE (5683) or 330-305-9963

## MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of Mother of Sorrows Parish, established in 1882, Christ centered and empowered by the Holy Spirit, dedicate ourselves to serve the needs of all by liturgical worship and parish ministries.



## From the Pastor's Desk

On this Fourth Sunday of Lent as we experience the parable of the prodigal son, which of the main characters do you relate to? We pray...

*O God, who through your Word reconcile the human race to yourself in a wonderful way, grant, we pray, that with prompt devotion and eager faith the Christian people may hasten toward the solemn celebrations to come. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.*

*Collect, Fourth Sunday of Lent, Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

### *In your Charity*

Please pray for Daniel T. Weist, brother of Reverend Edward "Ned" F. Weist (retired). May Daniel and all who have gone before us in faith live forever in the joy of the Resurrection. May their families and friends be consoled. Amen.

### **Pope's Intention for March: For A Christian Response to Bioethical Challenges**

*We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action...*

**We pray to the Lord.**

### **Pope's Intention for April: For Health Care Workers**

*We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities...*

**We pray to the Lord.**

### **Family Perspective**

Today is a very famous parable; the prodigal son, Jesus talks about two brothers that are very different. One is a faithful servant and the other wastes time and his father's money. At the end of the story the father throws a huge party for the son that had wasted everything and the other brother is left very angry. Why wasn't a party thrown for him? His father goes on to tell him about how important it is to be faithful. This gospel can show us many things about our personality. We are called to think about when we have or haven't been faithful to the Lord. The message remains that the Father loves his children.

### *Intercession*

*For brothers and sisters that they may love one another.*



## Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

March 26	Saturday: <i>Lenten Weekday (3)</i> 4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:00pm Mass ( <i>Gary A. Smolk, d. 3/14/2022</i> )
March 27	Sunday: <i>Fourth Sunday of Lent, Laetare (Rejoice)</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>Patricia J. Wiatrowski, d. 3/14/2022</i> ) 11:00am Mass ( <i>People of the Parish</i> )
March 28	Monday: <i>Lenten Weekday (4)</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>All Souls</i> )
March 29	Tuesday <i>Lenten Weekday (4)</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>Daniel T. Weist</i> )
March 30	Wednesday <i>Lenten Weekday (4)</i> 5:00pm Mass ( <i>William Sasser, SJHS 1966</i> ) 7:00pm AA Meeting ( <i>Church Hall</i> )
March 31	Thursday: <i>Lenten Weekday (4)</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>Frank Miniello</i> ) 7:00pm <i>Holy Hour</i>
April 1	Friday: <i>Lenten Weekday (4)</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>Prayers for Vocations</i> ) <i>Avilas Prayers for Vocations</i> 7:00pm <i>Stations of the Cross</i>
April 2	Saturday: <i>Lenten Wkdy (4); St. Francis of Paola, Hermit</i> 4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:00pm Mass ( <i>Pietro DiLegge</i> )
April 3	Sunday: <i>Fifth Sunday of Lent</i> 8:30am Mass ( <i>Jack Fetty</i> ) 11:00am Mass ( <i>People of the Parish</i> )

### *Please pray for ...*



Ed Abrams, Ann, Richard Bennett, Terry Balinski, Ruby Beshara, Wayne Beshara, Celia Bican, Logan Boone, Klementino Borja, Susan Bormet, Ben Brandt, Ruth Brunner, Caleb Bruce, Gabrielle Citino, Johanna Conner, Allan Cook, Tom Cracolici, Gary Crowe, Greg Davis, Maribeth Derer, Jody Dagg, Mary Donato, John Dutton, Scott Ensign, Dave Fetty, Susan Foley, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris and Laura Gibbs, James Ging, Evelyn Goris-Trecaso, Marilyn Griffith, Angie Grimes, Jennifer Grimes, Joseph Harding, Dale Harig, Eileen Herrman, Tayha Hostetler, Sharon Houska, Alaina Jaegers, Jill, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Kay, Evan Kelly, Helen Kracker, Drayden Lavere, Carol Leach, Johnny Levanduski, Karl and Patricia Liebenaurer, Bill and Nancy Lillyman, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Melissa, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, John Moore, Connie Morehouse, Majorie Morgan, Ashley Munoz, Antoinette Myers, Natalie, Nate, Jared Newman, Noa, Frank Nicotera, Carroll O'Donnell, Adriana Padock, John M. Parker, Richard Edward Parker, Penelope, Bridget Perez, Ada Pernici, Michael Phillips, Bruce Pohl, Sandy Posten, Roy Penrod, Rita, Helen Rhuling, Lynn Riley, Eric Rogalski, Aggie Rohan, Bruno Ruppel, Polly Rutledge, Sandy, Kathy Scott, Steve Sheets, Stefanie, Stephen Sommer, Shirley Southard, Kenny Starr, Amy Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Judy Sustar, Adriana Tadlock, Diane Taninecz, Leona Tesmer, Tommy, Ginny Thompson, Robert Timko, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Mallory Trecaso, Meghann Trecaso, Paul Trecaso, Loretta Uranker, Thomas Wearsch, Barbara Wright and all need of prayerful support. *Requests or changes please call 330-657-2631 or email [mospenh@windstream.net](mailto:mospenh@windstream.net)*

*Blessings and congratulations to Eric Andrew Haugh!  
He received the Sacraments of Confirmation and Holy  
Communion on Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at the 11am Mass.*

## Sunday, Mar 27, 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT; SECOND SCRUTINY OF THE ELECT

### An investment worth making

It's not uncommon to identify individuals, or groups of people, as unworthy of our time and attention. Sometimes these folks just plain bore us to tears. But more often, we view them as freeloaders, untrustworthy, or even bad to the bone. Jesus was criticized for dining with the wrong people: prostitutes (immoral), tax collectors (unpatriotic), and sinners (generally unsavory types). Jesus tells a story of a feast thrown for a "worthless" son to explain why he himself chooses to "waste" time on the undeserving. The lost need finding, and the dead need life restored. "Hospitality opens the gates of paradise," wrote Orthodox Elder Amphilochius of Patmos. Set another place at your table.

TODAY'S READINGS: Year C: Joshua 5:9a, 10-12; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32 (33). *"Your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found."*

## Monday, Mar 28, 2022

LENTEN WEEKDAY

### Tiny miracles

"Do you believe in miracles?" was a famous statement made by a sportscaster who was announcing an Olympic hockey game between the United States and Soviet teams in 1980—the underdog Americans won. Catholics believe in miracles, of course—but there has to be something more than mere unlikelyness to qualify. The church defines miracles as a "sign or wonder such as a healing, or control of nature, which can only be attributed to divine power." While we might not understand how or why miracles happen—or don't, even when we desperately ask—we can be assured that the God of the universe is constantly involved in our little lives out of boundless love. What's a greater miracle than that?

TODAY'S READINGS: Isaiah 65:17-21; John 4:43-54 (244). *"Unless you people see signs and wonders, you will not believe."*

## Tuesday, Mar 29, 2022

LENTEN WEEKDAY

### A day for the Knights

The Knights of Columbus organization for Catholic men turns 140 years old today. The organization originally got its U.S. start as a mutual aid society for poor immigrant families, particularly those that lost their main source of income whenever fathers died on the job. To this day, "whether at home or abroad, charity is our Order's first principle and the basis for all we do as brother Knights," says Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. The Knights run the National Shrine of Saint John Paul II in Washington, D.C. Visit the shrine virtually, via its 38-minute "A Gift of Love" Virtual Exhibit Tour.

TODAY'S READINGS: Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; John 5:1-16 (245). *"Jesus said to him, 'Rise, take up your mat, and walk.'"*

## Wednesday, Mar 30, 2022

LENTEN WEEKDAY

### Let it be a hopeful Lent

Our faith is one of hope. Often we concentrate on the sacrifices and commitments we make during Lent: abstaining from certain treats, attending daily Mass, giving alms generously. But we do this in the hope that Easter will come and Jesus will rise from the dead. Reflect on the spirit of hope that is at the root of your Lenten

observance. Here are some words of inspiration from Pope Francis: "No matter where God has planted you, hope. Always hope. Believe in the existence of the most noble and beautiful truths and trust that God, through the Holy Spirit, is ushering everything toward the good, toward Christ's embrace."

TODAY'S READINGS: Isaiah 49:8-15; John 5:17-30 (246). *"The hour is coming in which all who are in the tombs will hear his voice and will come out, those who have done good deeds to the resurrection of life."*

## Thursday, Mar 31, 2022

LENTEN WEEKDAY

### Rigor has a reason

We are now four weeks into Lent, at which point, disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving might not deliver much pious glow. The church developed the tradition of 40 days of Lent based on the 40 days Jesus was tempted in the desert prior to his public ministry. A six-week season of prayer, penance, and almsgiving is meant to instill in us awareness, humility, and love, but most of all, the realization of our utter dependence on God. As Saint Teresa of Ávila says, "Whoever has God lacks nothing. God alone suffices." Take a few moments to reflect on the ways God has sustained you.

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 32:7-14; John 5:31-47 (247). *"How can you believe, when you accept praise from one another and do not seek the praise that comes from the only God?"*

## Friday, Apr 01, 2022

LENTEN WEEKDAY; DAY OF ABSTINENCE

### Make the uncommon choice for the common good

The "common good" is central to being Catholic. Defined at Vatican II, the common good is the "sum of those conditions of social life which allow social groups and their individual members relatively thorough and ready access to their own fulfillment" (*Gaudium et Spes* 26). It requires appreciation for the relational nature of human beings and an absolute respect for the dignity of all persons, including but never limited to our own self. It also means ruffling a feather or two as we stare rampant individualism in the face. The common good is always evolving, but our motivation in its pursuit never changes: love of neighbor as ourselves. Where will such love take you next?

TODAY'S READINGS: Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22; John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30 (248). *"Let us beset the just one, because he is obnoxious to us; he sets himself against our doings, Reproaches us for transgressions of the law."*

## Saturday, Apr 02, 2022

MEMORIAL OF FRANCIS OF PAOLA

### Small wonder

Francis of Paola lived in a cave but he could see well beyond his confines. His vision for a community of "Minim" ("the least") inspired countless followers to join him in a life of service to the poor and forgotten. Talk about countercultural living! Such radical service requires a whole different set of priorities. For Francis it was a desire for holiness achieved through humility. Each of us can take some steps to "minimize" the excesses we might indulge in and join Francis in serving others in some small way. It's the least we can do!

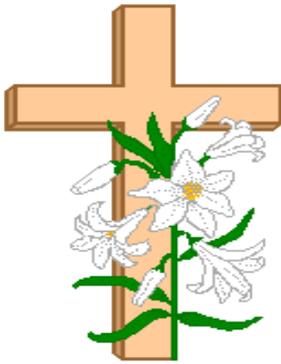
TODAY'S READINGS: Jeremiah 11:18-20; John 7:40-53 (249). *"Never before has anyone spoken like this man."*

*Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time*



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# Easter Flowers



To donate for Easter flowers and decorations in honor of or in remembrance of someone dear to you, please make your request by Palm Sunday, April 10th. An insert will be placed in our parish bulletin on Easter weekend naming all those honored by the flowers used to decorate the Church during Easter Season. Your name will be listed unless you prefer to be anonymous. Please fill out the form below and place in the collection basket with your donation (write in check memo "Easter Flower Fund"). You may also mail your request and donation to Mother of Sorrows Parish, 6034 South Locust Street, Peninsula, Ohio 44264.

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*Act of Consecration  
to the Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Basilica of Saint Peter  
25 March 2022*

O Mary, Mother of God and our Mother, in this time of trial we turn to you. As our Mother, you love us and know us: no concern of our hearts is hidden from you. Mother of mercy, how often we have experienced your watchful care and your peaceful presence! You never cease to guide us to Jesus, the Prince of Peace.

Yet we have strayed from that path of peace. We have forgotten the lesson learned from the tragedies of the last century, the sacrifice of the millions who fell in two world wars. We have disregarded the commitments we made as a community of nations. We have betrayed peoples' dreams of peace and the hopes of the young. We grew sick with greed, we thought only of our own nations and their interests, we grew indifferent and caught up in our selfish needs and concerns. We chose to ignore God, to be satisfied with our illusions, to grow arrogant and aggressive, to suppress innocent lives and to stockpile weapons. We stopped being our neighbour's keepers and stewards of our common home. We have ravaged the garden of the earth with war and by our sins we have broken the heart of our heavenly Father, who desires us to be brothers and sisters. We grew indifferent to everyone and everything except ourselves. Now with shame we cry out: Forgive us, Lord!

Holy Mother, amid the misery of our sinfulness, amid our struggles and weaknesses, amid the mystery of iniquity that is evil and war, you remind us that God never abandons us, but continues to look upon us with love, ever ready to forgive us and raise us up to new life. He has given you to us and made your Immaculate Heart a refuge for the Church and for all humanity. By God's gracious will, you are ever with us; even in the most troubled moments of our history, you are there to guide us with tender love.

We now turn to you and knock at the door of your heart. We are your beloved children. In every age you make yourself known to us, calling us to conversion. At this dark hour, help us and grant us your comfort. Say to us once more: "Am I not here, I who am your Mother?" You are able to untie the knots of our hearts and of our times. In you we place our trust. We are confident that, especially in moments of trial, you will not be deaf to our supplication and will come to our aid.

That is what you did at Cana in Galilee, when you interceded with Jesus and he worked the first of his signs. To preserve the joy of the wedding feast, you said to him: "They have no wine" (*Jn* 2:3). Now, O Mother, repeat those words and that prayer, for in our own day we have run out of the wine of hope, joy has fled, fraternity has faded. We have forgotten our humanity and squandered the gift of peace. We opened our hearts to violence and destructiveness. How greatly we need your maternal help!

Therefore, O Mother, hear our prayer.  
Star of the Sea, do not let us be shipwrecked in the tempest of war.  
Ark of the New Covenant, inspire projects and paths of reconciliation.  
Queen of Heaven, restore God's peace to the world.  
Eliminate hatred and the thirst for revenge, and teach us forgiveness.  
Free us from war, protect our world from the menace of nuclear weapons.  
Queen of the Rosary, make us realize our need to pray and to love.  
Queen of the Human Family, show people the path of fraternity.  
Queen of Peace, obtain peace for our world.

O Mother, may your sorrowful plea stir our hardened hearts. May the tears you shed for us make this valley parched by our hatred blossom anew. Amid the thunder of weapons, may your prayer turn our thoughts to peace. May your maternal touch soothe those who suffer and flee from the rain of bombs. May your motherly embrace comfort those forced to leave their homes and their native land. May your Sorrowful Heart move us to compassion and inspire us to open our doors and to care for our brothers and sisters who are injured and cast aside.

Holy Mother of God, as you stood beneath the cross, Jesus, seeing the disciple at your side, said: "Behold your son" (*Jn* 19:26). In this way he entrusted each of us to you. To the disciple, and to each of us, he said: "Behold, your Mother" (v. 27). Mother Mary, we now desire to welcome you into our lives and our history. At this hour, a weary and distraught humanity stands with you beneath the cross, needing to entrust itself to you and, through you, to consecrate itself to Christ. The people of Ukraine and Russia, who venerate you with great love, now turn to you, even as your heart beats with compassion for them and for all those peoples decimated by war, hunger, injustice and poverty.

Therefore, Mother of God and our Mother, to your Immaculate Heart we solemnly entrust and consecrate ourselves, the Church and all humanity, especially Russia and Ukraine. Accept this act that we carry out with confidence and love. Grant that war may end and peace spread throughout the world. The "Fiat" that arose from your heart opened the doors of history to the Prince of Peace. We trust that, through your heart, peace will dawn once more. To you we consecrate the future of the whole human family, the needs and expectations of every people, the anxieties and hopes of the world.

Through your intercession, may God's mercy be poured out on the earth and the gentle rhythm of peace return to mark our days. Our Lady of the "Fiat", on whom the Holy Spirit descended, restore among us the harmony that comes from God. May you, our "living fountain of hope", water the dryness of our hearts. In your womb Jesus took flesh; help us to foster the growth of communion. You once trod the streets of our world; lead us now on the paths of peace. Amen.



# Sunday Gospel Activities

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent, March 27, 2022

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# BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

## **Synod - Individual Participation Invitation**

Synodality means journeying together and gathering in assembly as the People of God to proclaim the Gospel. Pope Francis has invited **EVERYONE** to participate in a dialogue with one another and with the worldwide Catholic Church. He has asked that the Synod Sessions have three focal points:

***Communion*** - Respecting that we are all one in the Body of Christ

***Participation*** - A requirement of the faith rooted in baptism

***Mission*** - That we are called to proclaim the Kingdom of Christ and of God

Mother of Sorrows Church has completed our in-person listening sessions as part of the diocesan synodal process! We held three listening sessions with 19 participants and we thank those who shared their reflections, prayer, and time with us. We were blessed by your attendance and by your giving us the chance to know one another better. Thank you for your participation!

Understanding that not everyone was able to attend a session, the Diocese has created a way for you to share in this journey. Using this link: **[dioceseofcleveland.org/synod](https://dioceseofcleveland.org/synod)** and clicking on the "***Individual Participation***" tab on the left side of the page. This will take between 20 - 30 minutes to complete. The results go directly to the Diocese and will not be seen or shared with the Parish.

We hope you find this option comfortable to share your thoughts.

If you have any questions, you can contact your parish facilitators Diane Fleming at 330-468-8503 or Peter Chatigny at 216-903-5133.

## CRS -RICE BOWL

### FOURTH WEEK OF LENT - DRIVEN BY A DREAM

Malnutrition is widespread in Rwanda, but Gloriose and her husband are doing everything they can to keep their children healthy and set them up for success. From learning to grow a kitchen garden to participating in a micro-savings group, Gloriose and Karekezi know it takes many resources to help their children thrive. How have you helped others access what they need this Lent? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) to learn more.

### Intentions

*For Gloriose and her family—whom we meet through CRS Rice Bowl—and for all who struggle with malnutrition, that they can overcome the obstacles that prevent them from accessing healthy and nutritious food. We pray to the Lord ...*

*For our community, that we help to ensure all children have the food they need to develop to their God given potential. We pray to the Lord ...*



Lent is a great time to change your habits. Turn off the noise and turn on Catholic radio! Join us for Lenten Devotions, daily Mass, Rosary, apologetics and much more on AM1260 The Rock. Tuesdays at 3 PM we will air the Devotion to the Holy Face of Jesus and Fridays at 3 PM Stations of the Cross for Priests. The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy will continue to air on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 3 PM throughout Lent. Prayers and program guides can be found at <https://am1260therock.com> or call us at 216-227-1260.

### ALL SAINTS CEMETERY

#### Pre-Planning Seminar

The Catholic Cemeteries Association invites you to attend a 1-hour Pre-Planning Seminar on Saturday, April 9, 2022, at 1 p.m. Learn about your Catholic burial options, including options for cremated remains. Attendees will receive a personal reference guide and a special discount coupon. Please know the CCA follows the current CDC guidance regarding COVID-19 protocols. We kindly ask that you RSVP to All Saints Cemetery - 480 W. Highland Rd., Northfield. RSVP 216/641-7575 ext. 5 or email Bob DeJohn at [bdejohn@clecem.org](mailto:bdejohn@clecem.org).

The First Friday Club of Greater Akron

Announces that on April 1, 2022

Our April speaker will be Tom Arth,

Former Pro Football Player

and College Football Coach

NOTE: Change of Location

First Friday Club luncheons are now held at

Our Lady of Cedars

507 South Cleveland Massillon Road

Fairlawn, OH 44333

### Are You Man Enough? To Become More Christ-Like Diocese of Cleveland Catholic Men's Conference

Saturday, April 2, 2022

Bishop Edward C. Malesic Celebrating Mass at 4:00 PM

FEATURED SPEAKERS:

*Fr. Nathan Cromley:* Nationally known speaker, writer, retreat leader, explorer, innovator, educator and devotee of Our Lady, Fr. Nathan's teaching and dynamic witness has touched the lives of tens of thousands of married couples, families and business leaders. Besides leading international backpacking trips and making documentaries, he appears on EWTN and local radio stations.

*Kevin Reilly:* Kevin speaks from the heart and uses his own life as a lesson on how inviting Jesus Christ into your life gives you strength to face and overcome great adversity. He played college football at Villanova, and then went on to the Miami Dolphins and Philadelphia Eagles. Diagnosed with cancer and underwent surgery to remove his left arm, a large part of his shoulder, and five ribs - still remains an avid runner and golfer.

Outstanding Music, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Mass and Continental Breakfast and Lunch. Convenient Location: Holiday Inn 6001 Rockside Road Independence, Ohio at the intersection of Rt. 480 and Rt. 77N. Registration 8:00 am; Mass 4:00 pm; Adjourn: 5:00 pm. For information or to register, go to [www.cmfneo.com](http://www.cmfneo.com), or call 877-208-5585.

### Church in Central and Eastern Europe

Thank you for your generous contributions last week to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe! As a parish, we collected \$392.00 to help restore the Church and build the future in over 20 countries.

### Catholic Relief Services Collection This Weekend

The CRS Collection is one of the twelve national collections established by the bishops of the United States so that, by combining resources, we can more effectively carry out the global mission of the Church. It offers Catholics a convenient opportunity to help more than 110 million people at home and abroad through a charitable contribution during Mass. The CRS Collection supports six Catholic organizations (*Catholic Relief Services; USCCB's Department of Justice, Peace, and Human Development; USCCB's Migration and Refugee Services; Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.; USCCB's Secretariat for Cultural Diversity in the Church; and the Holy Father's Relief Fund*) that advance the international social ministry of the Catholic Church. *If you are interested in learning more please contact DSAO Director Kelly Bon at 216-296-0062.*

Thank you for mailing in your contributions!

### The Weekend of March 20, 2022

Sunday	1786.00
Monthly	300.00
Maintenance	5.00
Church in Eastern Europe	392.00
Catholic Relief Services	70.00

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